GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1741
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SHIFTING OF DVC HEADQUARTER
BIKASH CHOWDHURY;MINATI SEN

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have sought the views of constituent States toshift the DVC (Damodar Valley Corporation) Head Office from Kolkata to Ranchi in the Jharkhand State;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which the same is likely to be shifted?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) to (c) : Yes, Sir. The Government of Jharkhand have requested that theHeadquarters of DVC be shifted to Ranchi, as most of the area of operation of DVC fallsin the State of Jharkhand. The views of Government of West Bengal, being a constituentState, have been sought in this matter.